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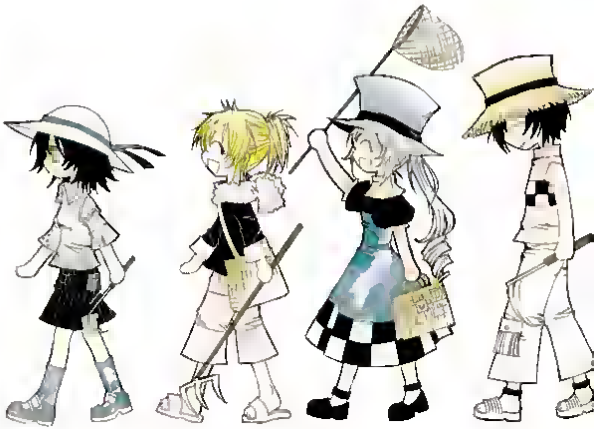

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That day, when an important guest was coming, I picked up a cat

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THIS DIRTY ONE IS?
I PICKED IT UP.
.....
WELL, IT WAS MORE LIKE HE FOLLOWED ME.
IT WAS CROUCHING IN THE STREET CORNER, SO I GAVE HIM A CANDY THAT I HAD.
I DON'T PLAN ON TAKING HIM IN AND RAISING HIM (TOO BOTHERSOME.)

SO, YOU'RE SAYING THAT IF I DON'T PLAN TO TAKE CARE OF YOU, DON'T GIVE YOU SOMETHING LIKE FOOD?
IS THAT IT?
DID I DO SOMETHING UNNECESSARY?
I DIDN'T REALLY SAY THAT.
MY LADY, PLEASE GIVE THE CAT TO ME...
IT'S ALL RIGHT. WHERE IS FATHER?

AH, BUT THERE'S SOMETHING WEIRD ABOUT HIM
WHAT I PICKED UP BACK THEN WAS A WHITE KITTEN WITH YELLOW STRIPES WHY IS JENIN HERE ?
AH!
JENIN? IS YOUR NAME JENIN?
NOD NOD
OH~ THIS MUST BE A DREAM
THAT'S RIGHT
THEN IS IT POSSIBLE TO FLY?
SHOOOOO
COME TO THINK OF IT, I THINK I FLEW A FEW DAYS AGO, TOO
My leg!
Come down!
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YOO-HOO~ ALINA~
WELL, TO BE MORE ACCURATE, I FELL.
PRINCESS? WHAT'S SHE DOING IN MY HOUSE? WAIT FIRST I HAVE SOMETHING TO ASK
SHH
WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING AT LIKE THAT?

AH
ALINA
WHERE DID YOU GO FOR SO LONG?
:
THE GUESTS HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR A LONG TIME NOW, GO GREET THEM..

...and...

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Gave that cat a name, "Danny".

6 years after mother passed away.

Father remarried

A beautiful aristocratic lady and her kind son who looked like her, the new family portrait of this family must've been father's pride

I did not want to let go till the end.

Even if it was twisted from the beginning, and became completely scattered by the end...

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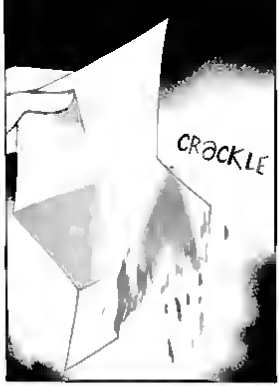
...EVEN IF YOU WAIT.
HE'S A PERSON THAT WILL NOT COME BACK.
...!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...PLEASE...
COULD YOU LISTEN TO THIS ONE REQUEST?
IN THE END

YOU'RE A GOOD PERSON, PRINCESS
SMIRK
YES, MA'AM
HE'S A SLY ONE
I'M HUNGRY, MAKE SOME-THING TO EAT.
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HEY, YOU, WHAT ARE YOU PLAYING BY YOURSELF?
PRINCESS, NAO-HYUNG IS HELPING BY NOT TRYING TO HELP.
THAT'S RIGHT, PRINCESS, PLEASE LEAVE HIM ALONE.
He only increases our workload.
You have no idea how hard it was to find the princess with that person in tow.
He's sort of my boss.
I think I understand, isn't Nao-hyung really weak?
OH, JENIN, YOU'VE DEALT WITH IT, TOO?
I EXPERIENCE IT EVERY DAY.
THAT IS, SOME DAYS AGO...

IF I'M DREAMING

EVEN IF IT'S A LIE THAT WILL DISAPPEAR THE MOMENT I OPENS MY EYES

AT LEAST LET IT BE A HAPPY CHILD'S STORY

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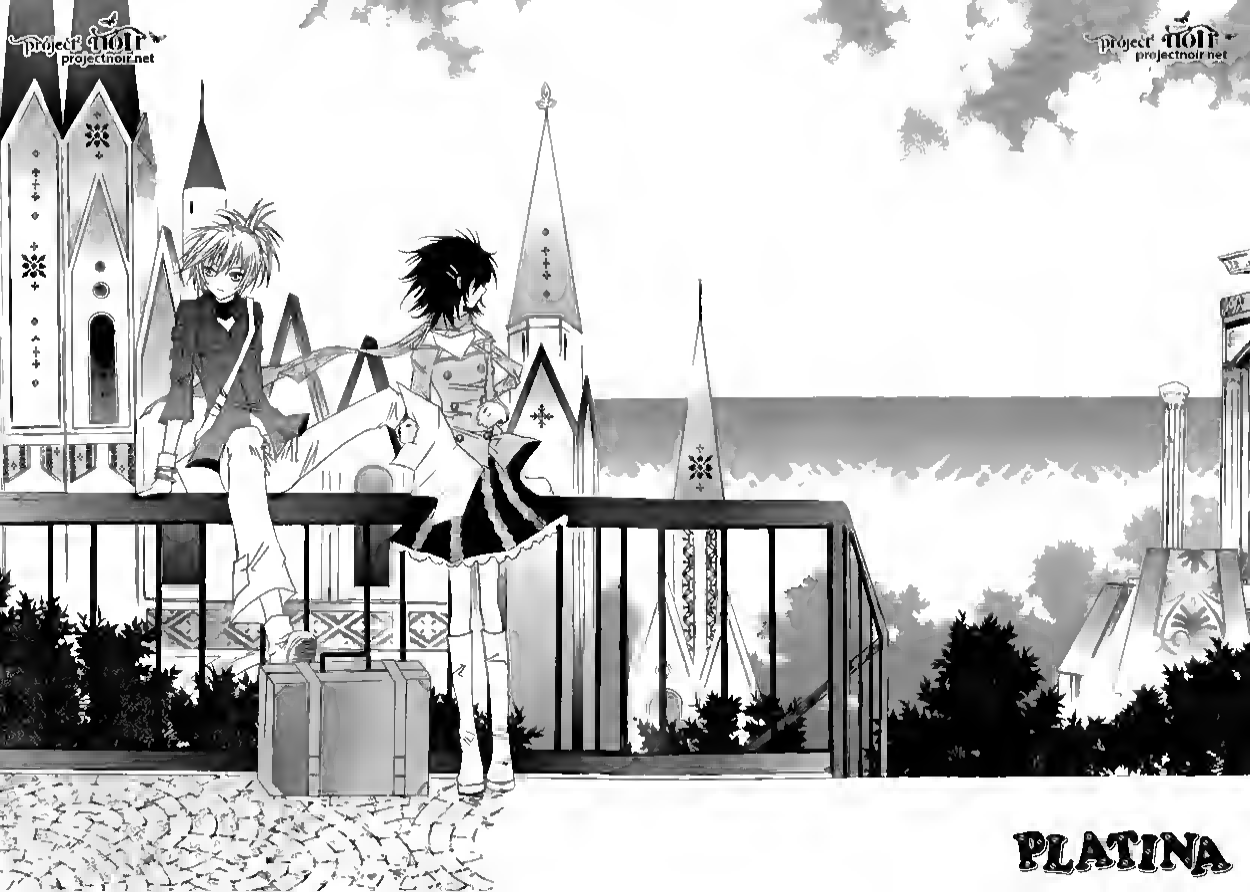

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HERE, THE POST BOX IS A BIT HIGH, ISN'T IT?
nod nod
IT'S AN INVITATION LETTER FOR THE MISTRESS.
I know without even looking that it's from the princess. Who else would formally invite the fallen house of Copris?
The princess always organizes events on days as peaceful as these.

THE PARTY INVITATION SENT BY THE PRINCESS
See I was right
THEN WHO'S THE ESCORT?
AND YOU POLITELY TOLD ME TO STAY AWAY FROM YOU
JENIN
YEAH?
TOGETHER...
NO!
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WHOA, OUR BUTLER'S VERY COLD.
Mistress is angry
BUT...!
SWIPE
SWIPE
SWIPE
SWIPE
DANG
DANG
DANG
DANG
DANG
PLEASE TELL ME YOUR NAME!
YOU MUST LEAVE BEFORE THE BELLS CHIME AT 12 O'CLOCK~
YOU ALREADY KNOW SO WHY ASK?
THAT'LL DEFINITELY HAPPEN!
DEFINITELY
SWIPE
SWIPE
SWIPE
SWIPE
SWIPE

I'M A MERE CITIZEN WHO'S NEVER BEEN TO A PARTY BEFORE
HMM— SHE TOLD ME TO STAY AWAY— And I don't want to go against her
ALINA'S NOT THE TYPE WHO LIKES STUFF LIKE PARTIES AND ALL, RIGHT?
YEAH, I THINK ALINA'S LIKE THAT. NO?
WHY ARE YOU SITTING SO FAR AWAY?
I DIDN'T WANT TO SAY THIS
YES
IT JUST SO HAPPENS THAT THAT DAY IS MY BIRTHDAY—
OF COURSE ATTENDING PARTIES IS EVERY GIRL'S DREAM, ISN'T IT? THEN THERE'S ALSO THE PRINCESS'S KINDNESS
THEN I SHALL ESCORT YOU, MASTER!

MY HEART ALMOST STOPPED FOR A MOMENT
OH~ PRINCESS~ YOU'RE PUTTING UP QUITE AN ATTACK ON HIS
We almost lost
RUSTLE
RUSTLE
TO BE HONEST. I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW WHEN ALINA'S BIRTHDAY WAS
WELL ASIDE FROM THAT, THERE AREN'T MANY THINGS I KNOW ABOUT ALINA
EVEN THOUGH
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I REALLY DIDN'T KNOW THAT SHE WANTED TO GO TO THINGS LIKE PARTIES EH?
YEAH.
COULD THIS PARTY BE ORGANIZED BY THE PRINCESS SPECIALLY FOR ALINA?
NO WAY...
SMIRK

Birthday
Congratulations to Aura on her birthday
ARGH~ HOW EMBARRASSING
THIS IS MY FIRST TIME SEEING SUCH A LAVISH SHOW OF AFFECTION.
Happy Bir
Congratulations to Aura on her birthday
...AH!
THEY'VE FINALLY ARRIVED.
THE MAIN GUEST HAS FINALLY APPEARED

MISTRESS ALINA SHAI COPRIS HAS ENTERED
As you know, I was born in a plain countryside and grew up running in wide fields
Since I m merely a commoner this is my first time attending such a grand party
—
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Even though this is my first time

I doubt this
will be any fun

ISN'T THAT SIMPLE?
WHO'D WANT TO COME TO THE BIRTHDAY PARTY OF A FALLEN NOBLE FAMILY? THERE'S NOTHING TO GAIN FROM IT.
...
DEPENDING ON THE CIRCUMSTANCES,
YOU COULD END UP WITH A LOSS.
THEN WHY WOULD THEY COME TO THE PARTY?
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THAT'S MOST DEFINITELY...
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN
IT'S PRINCESS VELOTTE OF ARDEN
BECAUSE OF THAT WOMAN.
...HMM...
BUT,
DOESN'T THE PRINCESS REALIZE? NO. COULD IT BE BECAUSE SHE'S THE "PRINCESS" THAT SHE DOESN'T REALIZE?

THESE PEOPLE DON'T EVEN GIVE COURTESY GREETINGS
HOWEVER, IF I WERE TO BAKE A BREAD
AND MAKE A BIRTHDAY CAKE
EVEN IF IT TURNS OUT TO BE AN AMATEURISH UGLY-LOOKING CAKE IT'D BE DELICIOUS

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REALLY, WHY WOULD AUNA WANT TO COME TO PARTIES LIKE THIS?
EXCUSE ME—
ME?
YES. YOU'RE THE PERSON THAT CAME WITH AUNA, RIGHT?
...THIS...

CAN YOU PASS THIS TO AUNA?
!
TELL HER THAT MARI...
WISHES HER A HAPPY BIRTHDAY.
YES!
AH RIGHT
I UNDERSTAND
WHY AUNA

ISN'T THAT FORTUNATE?

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What a relief
Will this party
turn into one
that's at least
a bit fun?
ROLL

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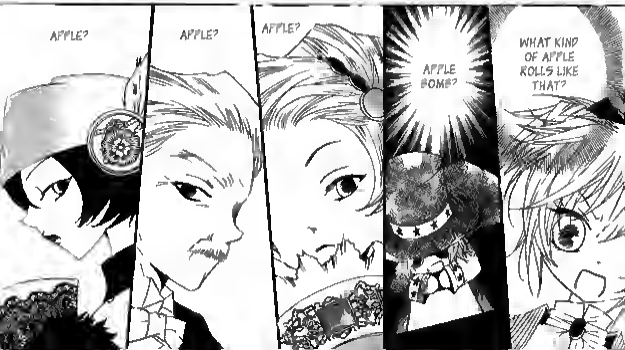

I'LL JUST PICK IT UP
AH!
He picked it up!
Oh, dear
Ho ho
NO WAY! I'VE ALWAYS BEEN LIKE THIS!
DID I DEVELOP A SERVANT'S INSTINCT JUST BECAUSE I'VE BEEN A BUTLER FOR A FEW MONTHS?
AM... AM I NOT SUPPOSED TO PICK THIS UP? THERE ARE A LOT OF SERVANTS HERE AND I CAME IN AS A GUEST!
WILL AUNA BE PICKED ON BECAUSE SHE CAME WITH HER BUTLER?
MISTER

....HMM? THERE'S SOMETHING WRITTEN ON IT?
THE APPLE FOR THE...
MOST BEAUTIFUL LADY?!

The most difficult situation in Jevin's 16 years of life.
A very wise decision.
HO~
YOU DON'T HAVE ANY COMMON SENSE
GRAB
THIS IS FOR
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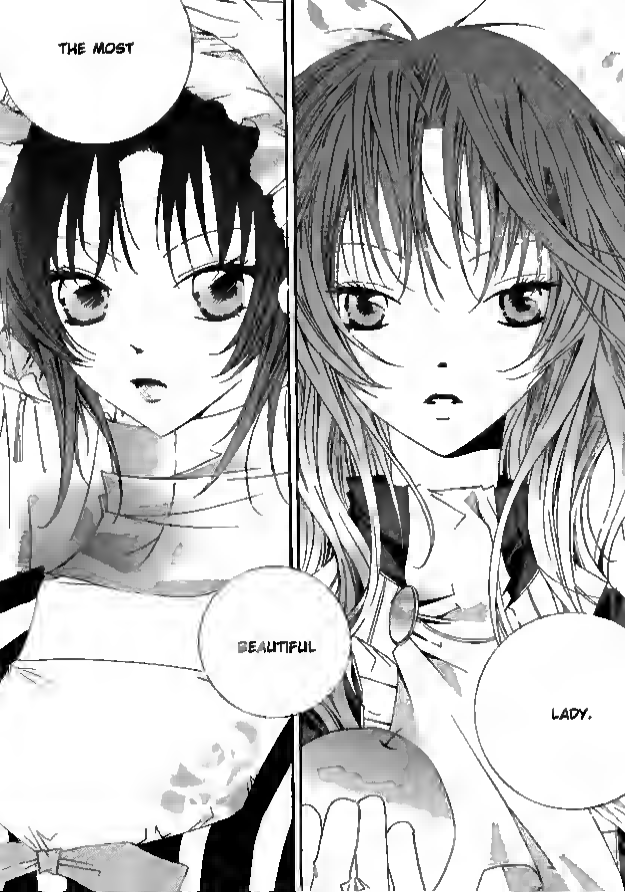
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LADY.

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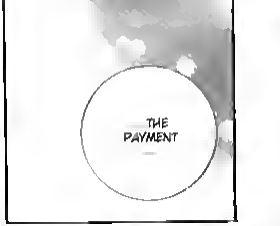

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, PLEASE REMAIN CALM
IF YOU WILL REMAIN CALM AND GIVE UP EVERYTHING YOU HAVE, WE WON'T HARM YOU!!
YOU'D BETTER NOT TRY TO PLAY HERO

AH...
SMACK

SHOO
...!!
HEY! THAT'S CHEATING!
TANE'S BELL INCANTATION
COLLAPSE
...!...
DESPITE YOUR SIZE YOU'RE JUST A SMALL FRY

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HERE, LOOK AT THIS. DON'T YOU SEE THE NUMEROUS JEWELS SPARKLING IN HER HAIR?
IF YOU WANT SOMETHING, THEN YOU SHOULD GO AFTER SOMETHING MORE VALUABLE, LIKE THIS.
Hoho~

AM REALLY PISSED OFF WITH THIS PARTY AND THE PEOPLE THAT HAVE COME HERE SO I DON'T CARE IF YOU ROB THEM OR PLAY ROBIN HOOD
BUT THE HEART OF A POOR GIRL WHO'S GIVEN IT HER ALL TO COME HERE RISKING MISTREATMENT AND COLD STARES.
AND THE HEART OF ANOTHER GIRL WHO'S GATHERED ALL THESE PEOPLE HERE TO CELEBRATE ANOTHER'S BIRTHDAY
FOR YOU TO RUIN THIS AS IF IT'S NOTHING.
I REALLY CAN'T STAND IT

JUST,
DISAPPEAR INTO THE GROUND!
DOOOM
!!

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IF THIS GOES ON !!
COUGH
MILLIUM!!
MR. NAO!

SHA
!!
AAA

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PRINCESS, SORRY FOR RUINING YOUR PARTY.
BUT OUR MASTER IS ALSO VERY DISAPPOINTED ABOUT THE LETTER THAT YOUR SERVANTS STOLE FROM US.
.....

WE'LL EXCUSE OURSELVES.
LADY CORRIS.
HAPPY BIRTHDAY.

WHAT'RE YOU DOING?! CHASE THEM!
WHE 'E DO YOU THINK THIS IS?!
DON'T LOSE THEM!
THEY TOOK MY DIAMOND RING!
GUARDS!

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AFTER A WHILE, THE DATE WILL CHANGE.
WILL THAT BE ALRIGHT?
.....

For master, I got her
a little stuffed doll by
cleaning Mr. Joe's store

I found it by accident in
the store's display

But I didn't have enough
money, so I got it in
exchange for labour

I didn't think
about whether this
doll would suit Auna

I also thought over and over again
how, back in the day, she would've
had her pick of expensive silk dolls

Even so, the idea was "doll for the girl"
I laughed, thinking that what's more important is the "heart"

A doll with no mouth, black hair, big eyes
Expressionless face

Doll lady

I remember one time when the Princess called Auna that
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Doll Lady
That doll felt like you, I couldn t just leave it there
So I bought that little doll, forgotten by the people, stuck in the corner of the display, as if it were you

I'm not a prince, or a poet who sings romantic poems. I'm just a fox.
I don't think of you as the most beautiful, and I will never call you "My Princess".
Even so
My heart aches at the fact that I couldn't even give you that ridiculous apple
I am... a little angered
To the very important master.
Sorry, I'm just a very small person.
THANKS, JENIN.

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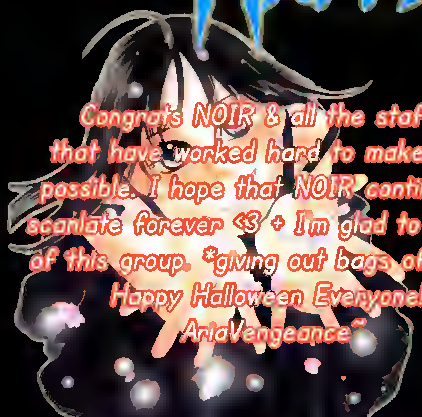

Congrats NOIR & all the staffies that have worked hard to make NOIR possible. I hope that NOIR continues to scanlate forever <3 + I'm glad to be part of this group. *giving out bags of candy* Happy Halloween Everyone!!! AriaVengeance~

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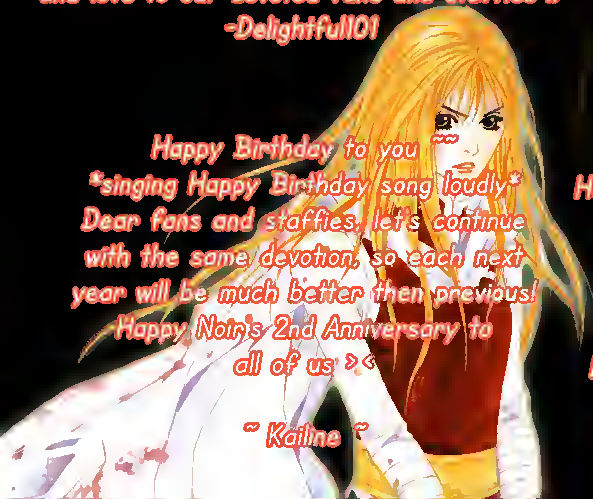
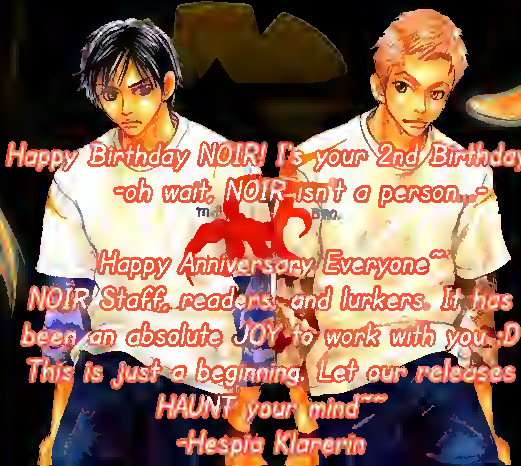
Atlast, NOIR officially turns TWO years old!!!! This year was a tough one, but we managed! Happy Anniversary guys!!!! I can finally say, 'We survived the second year.' Much thanks and love to our devoted fans and staffies :) -Delightfull01

Happy Birthday NOIR! I wasn't here on the first, but so glad to be a part of the 2nd :) Much thanks and love to all staffies and readers who have supported us until now. I hope NOIR continues to be a part of the scanlating community for years and years to come~!
And Happy Halloween everyone! Have fun trick or treating and hope all your teeth rot. JK XD
-Hiro <3



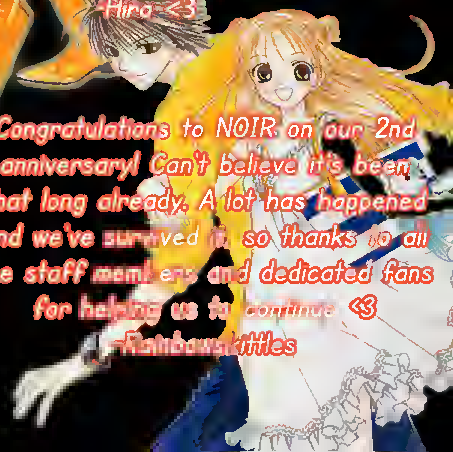
Happy Birthday to you ~~
singing Happy Birthday song loudly
Dear fans and staffies, let's continue with the same devotion, so each next year will be much better then previous!
Happy Noir's 2nd Anniversary to all of us ><

~ Kailine ~



Happy Birthday NOIR! It's your 2nd Birthday!
-oh wait, NOIR isn't a person...-

Happy Anniversary Everyone~
NOIR Staff, readers, and lurkers. It has been an absolute JOY to work with you. :D
This is just a beginning. Let our releases HAUNT your mind~~
-Hespia Klanerin



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-Rainbowskittles

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IDIOT JENIN
IT'S ALREADY PAST 12
GIVING A GIFT IS ALL ABOUT TIMING! HOW CAN YOU LIVE WITHOUT EVEN REALIZING THAT?
PRINCESS WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE AT THIS TIME OF THE NIGHT?
– ALINA
PLUS –
THIS IS THE SECOND FLOOR
LIFT ME UP A BIT.

IS THERE SOMETHING WRONG, THIS LATE AT NIGHT?
CLINK
OUR STUPID SOLDIERS LOST THEM
puff puff
WHO?
THOSE THIEVES
THOSE MEN
AH~
HOW DARE THEY INVADE THIS VELOTTE'S PARTY ....
AND LEAVE WITHOUT EVEN GIVING ME THE APPLE?

DIDN'T THAT PERSON GIVE THE APPLE WRITTEN "TO THE MOST BEAUTIFUL LADY" TO ALINA?
I HEARD THAT SOMEWHERE A WAR WAS CAUSED BY THAT.
Some how, I feel sorry.
THIS IS A DECLERATION OF WAR! HOW DARE THEY THINK THAT THE PRINCESS OF ARDEN...
IS UGLIER THAN THAT SPIKY HAIRED GIRL?!
DO YOU WANT TO PICK A FIGHT, YOU SLUT?!
RUN~~
AHH~~ THE PRINCESS IS ANGRY~ HOW SCARY~

SO...
?
YOU WANT TO BORROW JENIN, RIGHT?
!
WHAT A CRUEL QUEEN
DON'T YOU EVEN HAVE THE KINDNESS TO LEAVE THESE KIDS ALONE, SO THEY CAN START A NEW LIFE?

OR...
ARE YOU RUNNING BLINDLY BECAUSE OF A MAN?
SL
AP
...!
I'M SO DISAPPOINTED...
TO HEAR THAT YOU ONLY VIEW ME IN THIS MANNER.
SHE HIT MR. NAO
OMG- SHE HIT HIM
HOW COULD YOU HIT NAO HYUNG YOU WITCH?!
...BUT THANKS TO THAT...

MY HEAD IS VERY CLEAR NOW.
OH~ IS THAT SO?
PRINCESS, COME HERE, FAST!!
AHH, RIGHT
WHETHER IT'S THE FIGHT OR PURPOSE, IT MUST BE DONE WITH DIGNITY

WHEN YOU DESIRED EVE'S FRUIT OF KNOWLEDGE
YOU WERE PREPARED FOR AT LEAST THAT MUCH, RIGHT?
I WILL FACE YOU WITHOUT SHAME WITH MY WHOLE HEART

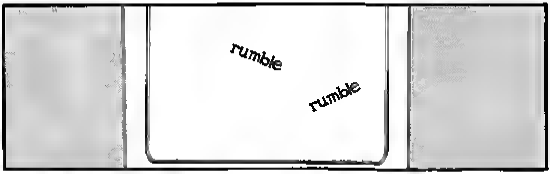
LIKE THE LOVE'S FEVER, MY HEART IS POUNDING
I FEEL FAINT BY THIS SWEET, RISKY SMELL

TAKE 6 : APPLE

IN THE END
YOU WANTED THAT APPLE
ALINA! DON'T STEAL FROM SOMEONE ELSE'S GARDEN!
Obtained one apple from Mr. Mark's garden
DON'T WORRY
?
sewing knife
SNIFF
SNIFF
I'LL WRITE IT EXACTLY THE SAME "TO THE MOST BEAUTIFUL LADY".
THAT DOESN'T HAVE ANY MEANING!!

DON'T YOU UNDERSTAND, AUNA? AS A FELLOW WOMAN!
I DON'T UNDERSTAND
WHAT I WANT IS...
THAT MAN
AHH~ EVEN THOUGH JENIN GAVE THAT APPLE TO THE PRINCESS THE PRINCESS CAN'T TAKE IT IF IT'S NOT FROM THAT MAN~ THAT'S TOO MUCH~
Our Jenin is pretty cute too
HMM
This man's natural peddler
DO YOU GET IT?
YOU MUST GET THE APPLE FROM THAT GUY!
YOU CAN'T JUST LEAVE IT HALF-HEARTEDLY! YOU CAN'T COME BACK UNTIL YOU RETRIEVE IT!
AND SMILE A BIT MORE, I GOT YOU A FIRST-CLASS SEAT!

HAVE A NICE TRIP~
chee chee
chee chee
chee chee
PRINCESS...
How can you do this...


rumble
rumble

JUST GO TO SLEEP.
YOU'RE TIRED TODAY.
THE PEOPLE WERE TIRING AND THE PARTY WAS CHAOTIC.
AND THEN YOU WERE SENT OUT AGAINST YOUR WILL.
CHOO
CHOO
CHOO
CHOO
AHH~ A WOMAN IN LOVE IS SCARY.
DOES THE PRINCESS REALLY WANT SOMETHING LIKE THAT?
IT'S BECAUSE SHE'S IMMATURE.
RUMBLE
RUMBLE
...EVEN THOUGH...
RUMBLE
RUMBLE

RUMBLE
RUMBLE
IT'S BECAUSE OF THE PRINCESS THAT I'M HERE TODAY

That time
I really hated her

The house that I came back to after so long

COLLAPSE
For hours
Or days
When I woke up
after sleeping with
no sense of time
I understood

Nobody will come to wake me up
Even if I skip my meal and sleep endlessly, nobody will call me
There is no sound
Silence.
Silence.
Silence.
It was only two months later that a sound, not an empty echo, existed in the house
grumble

step
.....
step
step
step
step

SFX: STEP
저벅
SHIFT
AUNA?

WHY AREN'T YOU SLEEPING?
Princess
There are footsteps coming towards me. There is a voice calling for me. I hear someone breathing nearby me.
Do you know, princess? You are the one who gave me these sounds.
WHEN IS YOUR BIRTHDAY, MR. NAO?
I FORGOT.
AND JENIN.

WHEN IS HIS BIRTHDAY?
That was my greatest gift
There fore i don't need anything else
rumble
rumble
rumble
rumble
... DON'T KNOW ...
ASK HIM WHEN HE WAKES UP

I still remember the sound of the boy's footsteps
STEP
STEP
STEP

SFX: STEP
I'M SO SORRY.
BUT THE MISTRESS OF THIS HOUSE IS OUT AT THE MOMENT.
...!...

BECAUSE A CERTAIN NOBLE AND BEAUTIFUL LADY HAS IMPOSED A RIDICULOUS TASK AND SENT HER FAR, FAR AWAY.

FAR, FAR AWAY

SOMETIMES, LOVE...
MAKES PEOPLE THROW THEMSELVES EVEN AT THE MOST OBVIOUS TRAPS.
SHALL WE SAY IT'S CALLED "FALLING IN LOVE"?
FOR A MOMENT OF SWEETNESS, IS THAT ENOUGH?
TO TELL THE TRUTH...
I HOPED YOU WOULDN'T COME.

EVEN THOUGH...
IT WAS PRECIOUS SHA'S BIRTHDAY

MILLIUM?
...MILLIUM...
OH? YOU'VE COME THIS FAR AND PRETEND NOT TO KNOW?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
SFX: SHAAA...

YOUR FRIENDS WERE CALLING YOU BY THAT NAME...
MILLIUM
IS THAT A NEW NAME?
YOUR REAL NAME?
...NO MATTER...

WHY ARE YOU STILL ALIVE?
WHY DID YOU APPEAR?

LEHEART
DANIEL
COPRIS
WHY DIDN'T YOU HIDE AWAY YOUR EXISTENCE ENTIRELY?
IF YOU DID THAT, THEN I COULD EMBRACE THE NICELY PACKAGED MEMORIES AND GO THROUGH MY LIFE AS A TRAGIC HEROINE
SINCE YOU HAVE BROKEN THE LAW OF ARDEN AND ESCAPED
LEHEART.

YOU HAVE DECEIVED ME
TOYED WITH THE COUNTRY OF ARDEN.
BETRAYED LORD COPRIS
LEFT A SCAR IN SHAI'S HEART
AND THEN...
THE "STAR OF ISHTAR"

AREN'T YOU TOO FULL OF YOURSELF?
SFX: BAM
TELL ME.

*TN: This is like saying "your face is ugly" and doesn't necessarily mean he had plastic surgery.

SFX SLASH
OH
WHY DID YOU COME BACK TO THE COPRIS CASTLE, EVEN AFTER ABANDONING YOUR NAME?
TELL ME

AH~
COULD IT BE...
DID YOU WANT TO START A NEW LIFE WITH SHAL WITH A NEW NAME AND A NEW FACE?
IS ALSO VERY ARROGANT.
THAT...
SFX: BOOM
TELL ME

WHO ARE YOU?
LEHEART OR MILLIUM, WHICH ONE IS THE TRUE YOU?
WHY DOES IT HAVE TO BE...
"THE STAR OF ISHTAR"?
ARE YOU ONLY ACCEPTING MY ATTACKS AND NOT ATTACKING?
YOU'LL DIE
...WHY...

WON'T YOU LET ME OFF EASY?
I AM THE ROYAL PRINCESS OF ARDEN. I DO NOT LET GO OF THOSE WHO GO AGAINST THE INTEREST OF MY NATION.
RHU IS
SHAI'S ROYAL HIGHNESS

...RIGHT, REMEMBER.
ALINA'S LIFE IS IN MY HANDS.
AND I—
DID NOT COME HERE BECAUSE OF SHAI.
JENIN?

...!!
SFX BAM
TAP
I GIVE MY WARNING TO ISHTAR.

DO NOT PROVOKE VELOTTE OF ARDEN
TO TOUCH MY VASSAL IS TO MEAN HARM TO MYSELF
I HOPE YOU DEAL WITH THIS CAREFULLY.

BUT THIS ONE IS AN EXCEPTION.
He's not my vassal.
Every law has an exception.
NO, WE'RE NOT INTERESTED IN HIM.
GO
LEHEART IS DEAD

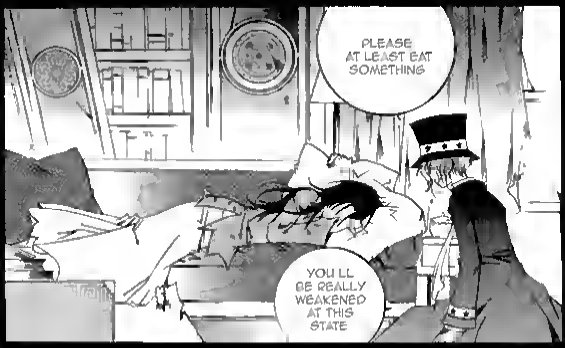
THAT GOES THE SAME FOR BOTH ME AND AUNA.

INVESTIGATE MORE ABOUT JENIN.
YES
...AT THAT TIME...
...MYU.
WHY DID YOU ENTRUST THE LETTER TO AUNA?

DID YOU WANT...
ALINA TO KNOW,
THAT LEHEART IS STILL ALIVE?
YES
MYU, YOU'RE STUPID.

ALINA WON'T LOOK WHEN TOLD NOT TO.
ha..ha..
YES, I OVERESTIMATED THE CURIOSITY OF A TEENAGE GIRL.
I thought they would all be like the princess
SO, WHAT WILL YOU DO?
IF YOU WANT TO LEAVE HER A HINT, THEN DO WHATEVER YOU WANT.
I WON'T STOP YOU.

NO...
I WON'T INTERFERE WITH THIS ANY LONGER
Now
...MISS ALINA...
MISS ALINA



She is not the lady of that time

RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE
RUMBLE
SORRY, JENIN
THIS IS WHY I DON'T WANT TO RELEASE YOUR CURSE

SO, YOU HAVE TO

PERSONALLY DERIVE THE SPELL OUT OF AUNA

rumble

rumble

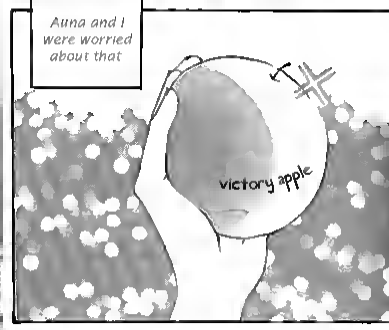
rumble

rumble

"TN. The store sign, the "Gyang Book" is where the apple was harvested from.

When the sun came up again, Nao hyung left from a random station

Went to a random store and brought a couple of random apples
IT'S OK, IT'S OK
"Gyang Book" golden apple
OF COURSE IT'S OK IT'S VERY DELICIOUS



But the princess said
"oh delicious~ Freshly
harvested organic apple
is the best♥" and ate
it all to herself

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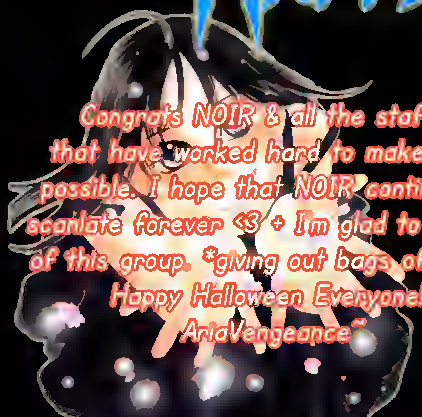

Congrats NOIR & all the staffies that have worked hard to make NOIR possible. I hope that NOIR continues to scanlate forever <3 + I'm glad to be part of this group. *giving out bags of candy* Happy Halloween Everyone!!! AriaVengeance~

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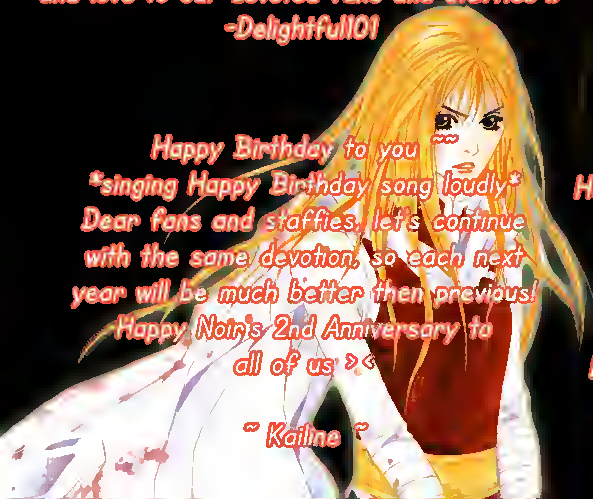
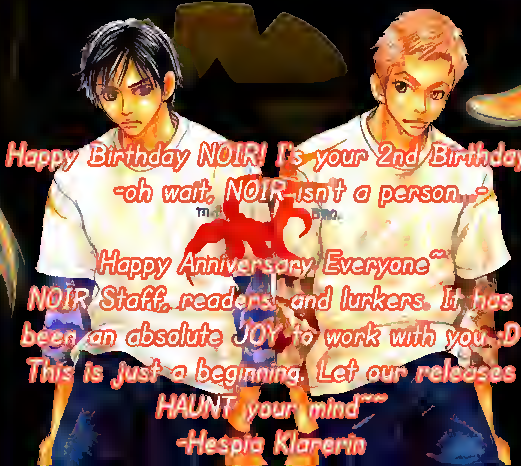
Atlast, NOIR officially turns TWO years old!!!! This year was a tough one, but we managed! Happy Anniversary guys!!!! I can finally say, 'We survived the second year.' Much thanks and love to our devoted fans and staffies :) -Delightfull01

Happy Birthday NOIR! I wasn't here on the first, but so glad to be a part of the 2nd :) Much thanks and love to all staffies and readers who have supported us until now. I hope NOIR continues to be a part of the scanlating community for years and years to come~!
And Happy Halloween everyone! Have fun trick or treating and hope all your teeth rot. JK XD
-Hiro <3



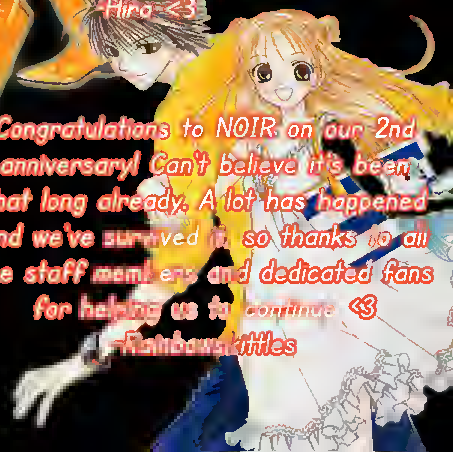
Happy Birthday to you ~~
singing Happy Birthday song loudly
Dear fans and staffies, let's continue with the same devotion, so each next year will be much better then previous!
Happy Noir's 2nd Anniversary to all of us ><

~ Kailine ~



Happy Birthday NOIR! It's your 2nd Birthday!
-oh wait, NOIR isn't a person...-

Happy Anniversary Everyone~
NOIR Staff, readers, and lurkers. It has been an absolute JOY to work with you. :D
This is just a beginning. Let our releases HAUNT your mind~~
-Hespia Klanerin



Congratulations to NOIR on our 2nd anniversary! Can't believe it's been that long already. A lot has happened and we've survived it, so thanks to all the staff members and dedicated fans for helping us to continue <3
-Rainbowskittles

Happy
& Halloween

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PLATINA

chapter 7

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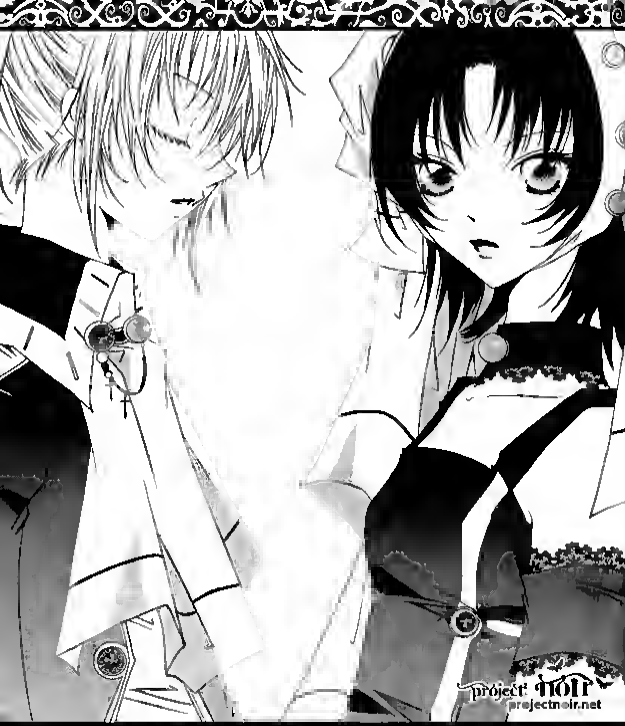

PLATINA

I don t like the rain
That wet humid air
has taught me "pain"
for the first time

Wet from the cold rain the
emotions running through
my veins have taught me
"tears" for the first time

The sound of the rain
that splashed onto the
ground hurting my
eardrums even now
it resonates in my ears

Voices

The smell of gunpowder

The smell of blood

SFX: COLLAPSE
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SHA!!

SHA!/
SHA!!/
...../
LEHEART/

STEP BACK!
MOTHER!
STEP BACK, LEHEART!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
I'M TELLING YOU TO STEP BACK!!

STEP BACK!
STEP BACK!
MOTHER!
SFX: SHAAA
STEP BACK FROM THAT GIRL RIGHT NOW, LEHEART!!

GRUMBLE
.....
?
?
GRUMBLE

rustle
...!
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shaaaa
tie
TAP
TAP

SFX: RUB
SFX: RUB
SFX: RUB
SFX: RUB
Clean

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I'll erase it all.

TAKE 7 : MEMORY

HE'S ALREADY OUTSIDE!!
UNDER-NEATH!!
SHOOT! DON'T LET HIM GET AWAY!
SHOOT!
BAM
BAM
BAM
FOLLOW HIM!
SFX BAM

JENIN!
GRAB IT!
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LEFT TO ANGLE
WHERE DID HE GO?
SCATTER AND FIND HIM!
SHIT!

SFX TAP
DID YOU BRING IT?
.. YEAH.
MISSION ACCOMPLISHED

"GOOD WORK, JENIN." AND THEN THERE'S THE DETAILS OF THE NEXT MISSION
IT'S A MESSAGE FROM FATHER
HMM? MERMAID'S TEAR? IT'S IN ARDEN?
...!
ARDEN?

DID YOU SAY ARDEN?
YEAH JENIN. DION'T YOU WANT TO GO TO ARDEN FROM WAY BEFORE?
THAT'S GREAT.
YE...H.
...HOW...
DO YOU WANT TO FLY NOW, JENIN?
YEAH, OK.
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"TN. This phrase is associated with a children's song, when playing hide and seek, children sing "hide until not even the hair shows".

and hide

I'll hide so that not even my hairs will show "

I'll erase that person

and I'll be happy in Mom's country

Well finding the cleaning loving expressionless mistress with a lot of stories behind her, was not part of my plan

And it's even more ridiculous that this girl, who I have never met before, has to break the curse on me...
Who knows, you can bump into a stranger by walking around a corner. Only God will know whether the path that I've always been taking will be there tomorrow
Well, has life ever turned out as planned?
Even if we escape from the rain under the same roof, we are completely different people from different worlds

But we met

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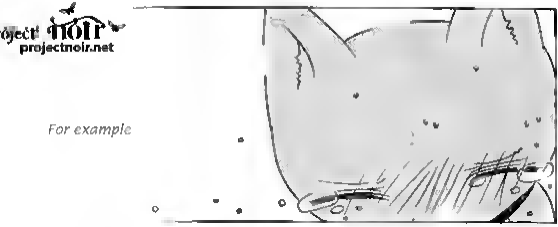

being caught in the rat trap while cleaning the kitchen
JENIN!
STAY STILL. I'LL TAKE IT OUT IF YOU DO IT WRONG, THEN YOUR BONES COULD BREAK
MASTER

MR. NAO!
JENIN WAS STEALING CHEESE AND GOT CAUGHT BY THE...
MASTER!
HUH?
.....
.....
checking for vital signs
DOCTOR!
Medical Intervention

Like how suddenly two people from the house will end up hospitalized
DON'T WORRY MY LADY
AND ON THIS SIDE THERE HAS BEEN NO HARM TO THE BONES, SO YOU CAN RELAX
sob
sob
HE HAS JUST PASSED OUT FROM EXHAUSTION SO LEAVE HIM TO REST
JUST TIRED
THANK YOU, DOCTOR.
JUST IN CASE, I'LL COME BY TOMORROW AS WELL
YES HAVE A NICE DAY
sigh~

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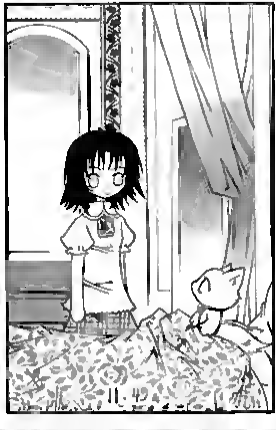
I started wondering about the girl's smile



IT'LL BE MORE NATURAL TO SMILE WHEN SAYING WORDS LIKE "THANK GOODNESS" "GOOD" OR "I WAS WORRIED"
rustle
MUCH MORE

PRETTY
WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING AT?
THIS GUY, IT'S SO BLURRY IT'S AS IF
AHHH—
CRUCH
!
THAT... THAT IS, ALINA, I PICKED IT UP A COUPLE OF WEEKS AGO
(lie)
I FORGOT ABOUT IT SO I WASN'T ABLE TO RETURN IT TO YOU
SO I... DON'T MISUNDER-STAND

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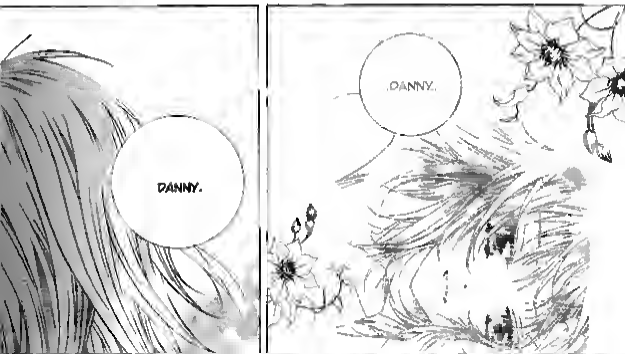

HE'S DEAD
!
HE IS SOMEONE WHO WILL NEVER COME EVEN IF YOU WAIT
EAT
CALL ME IF YOU NEED ME

SLAM
. SOMETHING .
IS PRESSING AGAINST MY HEART.
...I REALLY...
...CAN THIS CURSE BE CURED?

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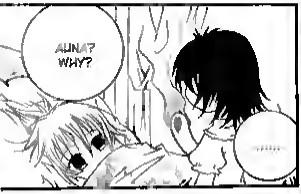
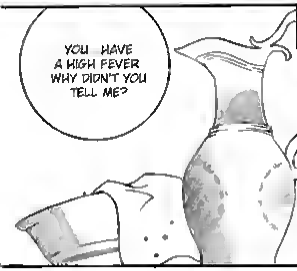
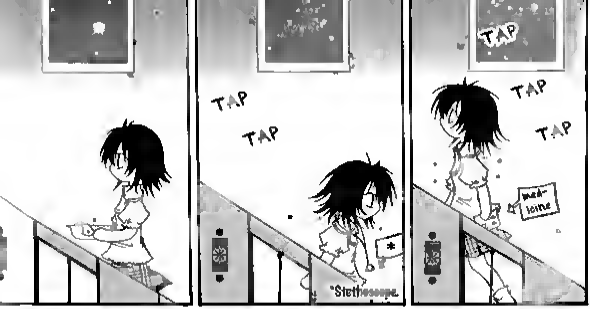
...HUH?


AUNA? WHY?
.....


YOU HAVE A HIGH FEVER WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME?

TAK TAK
TAK TAK
TAK TAK
JENIN, I'LL GO TAKE A LOOK AT MR NAO FOR A MOMENT

Checking for vital signs


TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
mad-ionne
*Stethoscope.

TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP

Everybody just picked the room they liked
Jenin's room, 5th floor
Nao's room, 2nd floor
Aunai's room, 3rd floor

...
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ALINA?
WHERE ARE WE GOING?
HUH?
SHAKE
SHAKE
DRAG
DRAG

HUH?
DRAG
DRAG
DRAG
...ARE YOU OK?
huff
huff
huff
huff
huff
Squeeze

YOU GO REST TOO, MASTER IT'S LATE
ME AND NAO HYUNG WILL BE ALL RIGHT AFTER WE SLEEP
YEAH.
She changed because she got wet from the ground

YESTERDAY, YOU KNOW HOW NAO HYUNG AND I WENT TO WORK PART TIME AT MRS. RUKA?
YEAH.
SHE SAID SHE NEEDED TWO PEOPLE SO YOU AND I WENT.
BUT SHE SAID "I CANNOT LET MISS DO SOMETHING SO ROUGH" SO MR. NAO HAD TO COME INSTEAD.
YEAH.
LIKE ALWAYS NAO HYUNG SAID "CAN I DO EVERYTHING WITH MAGIC INSTEAD?"
AND THEN MRS. RUKA SAID THAT IF MISTER USES MAGIC MASTER SAID TO CUT THE PAY CHECK
SO, IN THE END WE HAD TO...
Since money is precious

... GO TO THE RIVER
AND BECOME GREAT MEN OF THE FISHING BOAT.
throw
Laugh—
AND THEN WE ENDED UP LIKE THIS.

SO STUPID

IT WAS SO DARK
NO, IT COULD'VE BEEN JUST A MISTAKE
IT LOOKED LIKE THE MASTER GAVE A SMALL
REALLY SMALL BEAUTIFUL SMILE
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EVEN IF IT WAS JUST A MISTAKE
MY HEART JUMPED AS IF I FOUND A SHINY JEWEL IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ROAD
AND AS IF I PEEKED INTO THE SECRET GARDEN I HIDE THIS HEART AWAY

AND TODAY, WE WILL RETURN TO
OUR EVENTLESS LIVES LIKE THIS
I WANTED TO FIND HOPE
AND HAPPINESS
IN THERE

PERHAPS I WILL WANT TO MEET SOMEONE
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...ANYWAYS...
HOW DO WE GET HOME?
Do I get dragged again?
MASTER, I'M HUNGRY
Came for a walk as a fox and got transformed.

ISN'T THERE SOMEONE PASSING BY?
I'M WORRIED FOR MR. NAO...
IT SEEMS THAT HIS BODY...
BECAME TOO OLD

IF I ASK THE MISTRESS
WILL SHE BE SAD?
WHAT ARE YOU DOING? YOU TWO LOOK COMFORTABLE TOGETHER.
NAO HYUNG!

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There lived people on this land where
I came to escape from the memory of
the scar and pain inflicted on me

Within them, I abandoned
the painful memories filling it
with good stories, and moving
forward with my life

Even in the eventless
days, without the fanciful
words a walk with you
and the smell of grass

steadily builds up my memory

Even if at a certain
point life betrays me,

that land and the people with
whom I have spent sixteen summers
with, will never be forgotten

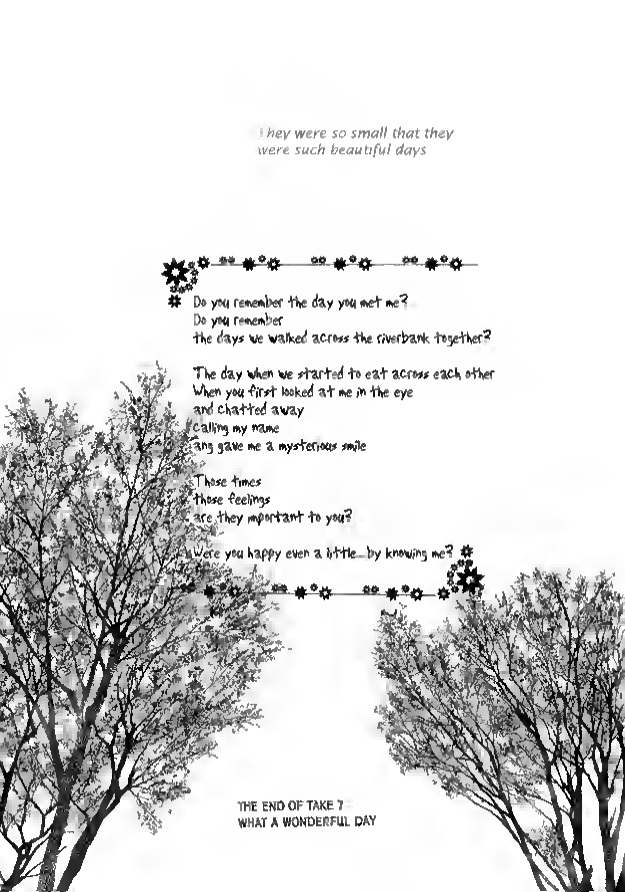
They were so small that they were such beautiful days

Do you remember the day you met me?
Do you remember
the days we walked across the riverbank together?

The day when we started to eat across each other
When you first looked at me in the eye
and chatted away
calling my name
and gave me a mysterious smile

Those times
those feelings
are they important to you?

Were you happy even a little…by knowing me?



THE END OF TAKE 7
WHAT A WONDERFUL DAY

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